

## General Assembly

January Session, 2001

## Raised Bill No. 6980

LCO No. 4596

Referred to Committee on Insurance and Real Estate

Introduced by: (INS)

## AN ACT ADDING REAL ESTATE BROKERS TO THE LIST OF PROFESSIONAL SERVICE CORPORATIONS AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANIES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- Section 1. Subdivision (1) of section 33-182a of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof:
- 3 (1) "Professional service" means any type of service to the public that requires that members of a profession rendering such service 4 5 obtain a license or other legal authorization as a condition precedent to the rendition thereof, limited to the professional services rendered by 6 dentists, natureopaths, chiropractors, physicians and surgeons, doctors 8 of dentistry, physical therapists, occupational therapists, podiatrists, optometrists, nurses, nurse-midwives, veterinarians, pharmacists, 10 architects, professional engineers, or jointly by architects and 11 professional engineers, landscape architects, real estate brokers, 12 certified public accountants and public accountants, land surveyors, 13 psychologists, attorneys-at-law, licensed marital and family therapists, 14 licensed professional counselors and licensed clinical social workers.

Sec. 2. Subdivision (17) of section 34-101 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof:

(17) "Professional service" means any type of service to the public that requires that members of a profession rendering such service obtain a license or other legal authorization as a condition precedent to the rendition thereof, limited to the professional services rendered by dentists, natureopaths, chiropractors, physicians and surgeons, doctors of dentistry, physical therapists, occupational therapists, podiatrists, optometrists, nurses, nurse-midwives, veterinarians, pharmacists, architects, professional engineers, or jointly by architects and professional engineers, landscape architects, real estate brokers, certified public accountants and public accountants, land surveyors, psychologists, attorneys-at-law, licensed marital and family therapists, licensed professional counselors and licensed clinical social workers.

## Statement of Purpose:

To add real estate brokers to the list of licensed professions that can form a professional service corporation or a limited liability company.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]